

Sinclair
Broadcasting's
decision to force
their stations to
air an anti-Kerry
documentary days
before the election
is a clear example
of the dangers of
media consolidation.

Sinclair uses the
public airwaves free
of charge, and is
obligated by law to
serve the public
interest. But when
large companies
control the
airwaves, we get
more of what's good
for their bottom
line and less of
what we need for our
democracy.

I applaud the FCC's
efforts to keep our
public airwaves free
of obscenity, but I
would be deeply
disappointed if the
FCC were to permit
the public airwaves
to be controlled by
a few big
corporations that
pursue their own
agendas instead of
serving the public
interest. Sinclair
should not have the
power to push an
unbalanced,
politically biased
"documentary" onto
the public airwaves
just days before the
presidential
election.

Thank you.